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AMENDMENTS AND ARGUMENTS IN SUPPORT  
OF PATENTABILITY OF THE CLAIMS  
PURSUANT TO 37 CFR § 1.114**

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**REPLY PURSUANT TO 37 CFR § 1.114**

In response to the Official Action dated **October 6, 2006**, and in connection with the filing herewith of a Request for Continued Examination, reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and arguments in support of patentability of the claims:

- ☐ **Amendments to the Specification** begin on page \_\_\_\_\_ of this paper.
- ☒ **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.
- ☐ **Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page \_\_\_\_\_ of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet.
- ☒ **Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.